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EiC Notes

Two new this time... Andy Lawendel - Milan, Italy (SDXM only) and John Hart - San Francisco, CA (SDXM only)... on to the good stuff.

DX Test

10/23 Sat 0000-0100 1420 WRCG Columbus GA (IRCA)

Lynn Hollerman: "I have been asked to announce this upcoming DX test...

Saturday, October 23, 2004 - WRCG-1420, Columbus, GA will conduct a DX test from 12:00 am - 1:00 am EDT. The test will include Morse code IDs. The station normally runs a news/talk format. A loop of the code and the voice version of the code will be played, with the two alternating code/vocal/code/etc. The station regularly runs at 5 kW ND.

Reception reports (with return postage) may be sent to:

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WRCG ANNIVERSARY TEST

PLEASE send reception reports - a special QSL card for this 75-year-old station will be sent in return (with return postage and address, of course). The station is relocating in the near future, and the CE is hoping to test again at the new site once that is in operation.

(Due to some personal issues, I am unable to do CPC for IRCA this season; I will, however, do my best to respond to DX test announcements sent to me directly at the ircaonline.org address. If vou are interested in volunteering to arrange DX tests, please contact me at the ircaonline.org address (i.e. thru the IRCA website) and I will direct your message to the IRCA president, Nick Hall-Patch. Thanks!! -Lynn.)" (thanks so much for the info Lynn -pb)

WESTERN DX ROUNDUP

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WDXR DEADLINES: Each Friday. Please use Eastern Time.

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- Gary Larson-2806 Lincoln-Burbank, CA 91504 (GL)
- Curtis McMenamin-153 Calle Tepic-Vacaville, CA 95687-6530 (CM) Sony ICF-2010. Kiwa loop
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- 540 SK. Regina 10/8 0400 fair with CBC programming. (CM-CA) +10/11 heard at 0805 with World Report. (BB-AZ)
 - XESRF BCN, Tijuana 10/8 0410 fair with oldies 1260/540. (CM-CA)
- KUZZ CA, Bakersfield 10/8 0430 fair with "KUZZ AM & FM." (CM-CA) 550
- WA, Seattle 10/8 0550 poor with "Newsradio KVI" ID. (CM-CA) 570
- CA, Fresno 10/10 0039 Fresno State football game, local ads, back to game; fair 580 KMJ with KSSK-590 QRM. (5P-HI)
- 600 KOGO CA, San Diego 10/11 1020 with ID "KOGO" traffic report, stock market report, on top of semi-local kVNA. (BB-AZ)
- CA. San Francisco 10/11 0423 ID "KFRC, you heard one of the greatest hits of all time." (BB-AZ)
- 620 KWAL ID. Wallace 10/14 0647 fair. country music "Your all time favorites... AM 62 KWAL." New. (DP-OR)
- 630 KFXD ID. Boise 10/4 0109 country music and ID. fair signal with QRM from KHOW. (DN-CA)
 - +10/10 2151 with ID "You're listening to classic country KFXD." (BB-AZ)
- KSTE CA, Rancho Cordova 10/4 0033 sports report followed by ad and ID, fair to poor 650 signal with various QRM. (DN-CA)
- <u>UT</u>, Manti 10/10 2121 ID "Utah's 650 Country." (BB-AZ)
- CA, Orcutt 10/8 0600 good with KGDP ID. (CM-CA) 660 KGDP
- CFFR AB, Calgary 10/8 0555 in poor with oldies and "CFR" ID. (CM-CA)
- KOAL UT, Price 10/4 0205 ID followed by Coast to Coast, fair to good signal. (DN-CA)
- 760 MI, Detroit 10/10 0529 fair, ID then news. New. (DP-OR)
- KKOH NV, Reno 10/6 0559 "7-80 KKOH Reno" into ABC-I news, broke away after net ad 780 with "When it really matters, depend on Newstalk 7-80 KOH," into local news. Fair, QRM from KGU-760 and 2YB-783. (5P-HI)
- KMAX WA. Colfax 10/8 0930 in good with ID "The Max." also mentioned Lewiston. 840 (CM-CA)
- 870 KFLD WA, Pasco 10/7 0000 sports talk and news, in like a local for a minute or two then back into the kettle. Surprisingly not often heard. (GH-OR)
- KNEW CA, Oakland 10/3 0135 Get Out to Vote ad and talk program, with good signal. 910 Grundig with RS loop. (GH-OR)
- IA, Des Moines 10/8 0730 good with "Newsradio WHO Des Moines." (CM-CA) 1040 WHO
- 1050 WA, Seattle 10/3 2300 religious music and faint iD in a 3-way jumble with KTCT (I think) and one other unID. Really weak with Drake and Sanserino loop. (GH-OR)
- KHTK CA, Sacramento 10/8 0555 sports followed by ID and ads, fair signal with deep 1140 fades and QRM. (DN-CA)
- KXMX CA, Anaheim 10/14 0435 fair and dominant with KEX off, Vietnamese language, 1190 talk, singing ad. New. (DP-OR)
 - KXKS NM, Albuquerque has been off or 4 months, but came back on 10/13 with Christian programming. (BN-NM)
 - OR, Portland 10/14 0435-0645+ off the air, no carrier. (DP-OR)
- KHTS CA, Canyon Country 10/14 0425 fair, call heard and mention of town of Valencia. 1220 New. (DP-OR)
- KPLY NV, Reno 10/8 01030 sports talk and many ESPN ID's. Dominant in the "whirl" 1230 with unID's. Very weak but doing well for their listed 820 watts! (GH-OR)
- BC, Vancouver 10/13 0100 legal ID into vocal gibberish song in unknown dialect. 1320 Fair signal above KGDC. (GH-OR)
- KTPI CA. Moiave 10/5 early morning on trip to Antelope Valley noted no longer NOS, but 1340 Spanish (not // 1470). (GL-CA)
- KWJL CA. Lancaster 10/5 early morning on trip to Antelope Valley noted this no longer 1380 classic country, but NOS. Station is part of High Desert Broadcasting. A call to their office later revealed change took place about July. (GL-CA)
 - KTKZ CA. Sacramento 10/11 0047 "Best of Laura Ingraham." net ads. promo for campaign coverage "On Sacramento's ... 13-80 KTKZ." ad. ""Where your vote counts, talk and news 13-80 KTKZ." Fair to poor over/under probable KUIK-OR.
- KGNU CO, Westminster 10/10 2000 with PBS-type programming, ID on hour gave 88.5 and 1390, and also translators in Ft. Collins and Ward. (BN-NM)
- WA, Walla Walla 10/9 2300 ESPN sports talk show with fair signal above the pack. 1420 Not heard for many moons. (GH-OR)

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1490	KTEL	<u>WA</u> , Walla Walla 10/10 0230-0500 fair, oldies with ID or slogan after every song. QRM prevented solid ID until 0200 LT. New. (DP-OR)
4540	IZENINI	
1510	KHNIN	AZ, Mesa 10/7 2129 financial talk show, poor to fair signal with frequent fades.
		(DN-CA)
1630	KKWY	WY, Fox Farm 10/10 2320 in strong with ID and country music. Signal deteriorated
		rapidly into pure static. Last heard 10/13/03. (GH-OR)
UNID		
620	10/11 0	110 oldies music noted before fading under probable XESS. Does KPOJ-OR play
		music on weekends? Very poor. (5P-HI)

I hope that many of you will join in the contest this season. If you have any questions, be sure to let me know. Nancy $10/15\ 2100$

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100' longwire, Terk AM 1000 Loop, MF J959B, GE Superadio III.

DOWN THE DIAL

620	CKRM	SK, Regina. 10-3 poor in tight WTMJ null. 0603 heard calls twice during country format. [JJR-WI]
870	KJMP	CO, Pierce. 10-9 loud. 21:55 with "KJMP Pierce" legal right in the middle of
040	KDCZ	"Margaritaville Song." [NJ-MT]
940	KPSZ	IA, Des Moines. 10-9 over nulled CJGX. EX-KXTK. 23:21 with ID, station promos, "Praise 9-40" slogan then "The Coaching Minute." [NJ-MT]
980	CJME	SK, Regina. 10-9. 23:16 call given twice in station promo, spot. [NJ-MT]
1030	WEBS	GA, Calhoun. 10-3 fair, alone. 07:19 with "AM 10-30 and cable channel 3" slogans and "WEAS" jingle. Southern gospel format. [JJR-WI]
1390	WTJS	TN, Jackson. 10-3 poor under WGRB. 07:06 spot into Art Bell. [JJR-WI]
1450	KZZJ	ND, Rugby. 10-12 loud. 20:58 with country music, "KZZJ AM 14-50 Rugby" ID into AP Network News. [NJ-MT]

25 YEARS AGO

October 20, 1979 issue of IRCA's "DX Monitor" ... **John Rieger** of Milwaukee, WI said in 1971 he lost interest in DXing and threw out 250 verifications ... **Bruce Portzer** of Seattle, WA received verifications from 2GF-1206, 200-1575, and one from the Pacific City, OR TIS on 530 ... **Mike Brooker** of Toronto, ON heard "Pirate Radio New England" on 1620.

OPEN MIKE

Are you logging stations for the Letterama Contest? This column was typed 10-16-04. 73, John

EASTERN DX ROUNDUP

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DX-398

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			LOGGINGS	
610	OH	WTVN	Columbus 12/12 2345 Local talk show & wx. Decent and	steady signal.
			"Your Official Weather Station 610 WTVN."	
	PA	WIP	Philadelphia 10/02 0020 Sports Talk "It's going on Philade	elphia's WIP"
			Local sports.	(RB-NY)
690	FL	WOKV	Jacksonville 10/11 1905 Weather; ID.	(WM-MD)
740	ON	CHWO	Toronto 9/29 2210 "Your listening to a Romantic Affair on	AM 740
			CHWO" ID @ 2255 "AM 740 CHWO."	(RB-NY)
830	KY	WTRV	Kernersville 10/11 2000 ID as "The Turth."	(WM-MD)
	MO	KOTC	Kennett 10/11 1944 "Cotton Country."	(WM-MD)
860	ON	CJBC	Toronto 10/01 0240 In FF at TOH "Ici Radio Canada."	(RN-NY)
1000	PA	WIOO		(WM-MD)
1150	CT	WMRD	Middletown 1010 2000 WNBA game; ID; // 1420.	
1300	FL	WFFG	Marathon 10/11 0500 Fair w/TOH ID "WFFG Marathon as	
			Florida Keys." New.	(LF-FL)
1310	KY	WDOC	Prestonburg 10/12 0629 Call letter ment. into local wx. Ne	w. (LF-FL)
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920	??	????	10/11 1730 WZTK ID given as "News Talk 101.1 FM"; traf	
			mentioning Winston Salem & I-40; WX. (The only match I can find for 101.1 and Winston Salem is	
			Burlington, NC-ed)	VVF CIVI III

Thanks to Ira, William and Ray this week... 73's and all the best... Thanks to all!!!!... FRESH 10/16 0900

DX WORLDWIDE - WEST / TROPICAL BAND DX

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I had a pretty decent filipino morning this week. But the past couple of mornings weren't too good. Come to find out my termination on my EWE antenna was knocked loose by a herd of cows. I repaired it again, but for now long? I was face to face with the herd of cows while repairing the antenna! Anyway some good TP DX this time around.

TRANS-PACIFIC DX ROUNDUP

- 531 **AUSTRALIA**, West Kempsey 2PM, good with Bee Gees song and slogan ID at 1324 10/15 "Easy Listening 531." (PM-OR)
- JAPAN, Morioka JOQG 10/11 1337, man speaking in JJ //594. (NP-AB)
- NEW ZÉALAND, Auckland 1XPI 10/11 1257, presumed with South Pacific style choral mx. Went through an hour with no ID. Faded out by 1305. (NP-AB)
- 531 **PHILIPPINES**, UNID filipino here with conversation with man, talking with caller 1415 10/13. Sounded like the same filipino I have tried to ID for sometime. JOQG QRM.
- **PHILIPPINES**, Tagalog talk in the jumble, possibly DYRB as I have logged in the past at 1410 10/13. (PM-OR)
- 549 **JAPAN/PHILIPPINES**, mix of JJ and Tagalog at 1418 10/13. (PM-OR)
- 558 JAPAN, Kobe JOCR really nice JJ Pops 1350 10/13. (PM-OR)
- PHILIPPINES, Pasig DZXL, great signal, like the old days and man and woman in Tagalog then "D-Z-X-L" mentioned by man in conversation at 1421 10/13. I was hoping for one of their "fanfare" IDs with the echo chamber. Those were fun to hear in the past. (PM-OR)
- 567 JAPAN, Sapporo JOIK 10/10 1333. Woman speaking in JJ, sounded like a reading of some type. //594. (NP-AB)
- 567 JAPAN/PHILIPPINES, mostly JOIK but bits of filipino talk underneath at 1411 10/13. (PM-OR)
- 576 **UNID**, this unid station was playing soft piano music everytime I went by it at several tries between 1351-1434, no amnts heard. (PM-OR)
- PHILIPPINES/JAPAN, jumble of stations here 1403 10/13. (PM-OR)
- 94 PHILIPPINES, Quezon City, DZBB, finally topping JOAK with man in usual Tagalog with phone caller, mention of DZBB at 1428 10/13. This one would be more common if it wasn't for powerhouse JOAK that generally blocks 594. (PM-OR)
- PHILIPPINES/JAPAN, a mix here of JJ/filipino, but mostly JJ 1432 10/13. (PM-OR)

- 612t **PHILIPPINES**, Cebu City DYHP, really a strong signal with some kind of contest. At one point the ancr mentioned "Cebu", but other than that no ID at 1417 10/13. This is likely DYHP as this is the most common station heard on 612 from the Philippines. Cebu's a pretty common, being a good water path. This was armchair copy at times! (PM-OR)
- RUSSIA? Russian talk here by woman at 1410 10/18. (PM-OR)
- 630 AUSTRALIA, Townsville 4QN, one of the few Australians this morning with ABC News at 1401 10/13, topping the channel. (PM-OR)
- 639 CHINA, CNR, synchros, female in Mandrarin in "echo" sound, apparently several stations in // at this time at 1430 10/17. (PM-OR)
- 648 **UNIDS**, a garbled mess of stations and one or more off frequency with terrible het 10/13. (PM-OR)
- 657 PHILIPPINES/CHINA/NORTH KOREA. mess of three stations here 1412 10/13. (PM-OR)
- 666 **PHILIPPINES**, Makati, Metro Manila DZRH, good on top of JJ with man mentioning "666 DZRH" a couple of times 1423 10/13. (PM-OR)
- 675t CHINA. CC talk 1420 10/13. Maybe Hohhot, as I have logged that a few times. (PM-OR)
- 684t JAPAN, Morioka JODF may have been the JJ in splatter 1408 10/13. It sounded like a man mentioned the IBC network at one point, but uncertain. (PM-OR)
- 693 JAPAN, Tokyo JOAB 10/11 1331, EE language lesson. (NP-AB)
- 702 **UNIDS**, several stations here, but too garbled to catch much at 1412 10/13. (PM-OR)
- 711 **UNID**, music here 1358 10/13. Maybe Korea. (PM-OR)
- 720 RUSSIA, Yuzhno Sakhalinsk, VOR in JJ. The best I have heard them this season 1420 10/13. This one has not been heard much this season. Not like they used to. Lower power? (PM-OR)
- 729 JAPAN, Nagoya JOCK 1414 10/13, in hash which sounds like IBOC. Maybe QRM from KCBS. Chuck Hutton said that 729 is more apt to be QRMed by IBOC than 738 as the QRM gets worse further away from the main signal. This has is a normal thing in the mornings now. (PM-OR)
- 738 **AUSTRALIA**, NSW, Grafton 2NR 10/11 1358, Interview, mention of "ABC" "New South Wales" then into ABC news by a woman at 1400. (NP-AB)
- 738 **TAIWAN**, Penghu, Fishery station here 1425 10/13 with woman in slow Cantonese (sounded like) //1143. (PM-OR)
- 747 **JAPAN**, Sapporo JOIB 10/10, Poor woman talking in JJ. (DP-OR)
- 774 JAPAN, Akita JOUB 1501 10/11. Faded back to poor level with anthem followed by music box s/off. Just like the old days.... (NHP-BC)
- 774 JAPAN, Akita JOUB 10/14 Fair, language lessons in both EE and JJ. Nice to understand what they were saying. In the best yet //747. (DP-OR)
- JAPAN, Osaka JÓBB 1422 10/11 Heard with good signal. SS lessons //774 also at good level and finally beating out the splatter (from Calgary, not Seattle.) (NHP-BC)
 + 10/14 Poor but audible JJ talk, In and out. (DP-OR)
- 864 **JAPAN**. JOHE/JOQF. HBC here //1287 with JJ talk at 1445 10/17. (PM-OR)
- 891 JAPAN, Sendai JOHK good over Thailand with man in JJ at 1440 10/17. (PM-OR)
- 891 **THAILAND**. Bangkok, fair /JOHK with chimes and woman in Thai at 1441 10/17. (PM-OR)
- 936t CHINA, Anhui, presumed with CC talk in passing at 1450 10/17. This is the normal CC on this freq to hear. (PM-OR)
- 972 **SOUTH KOREA**, Tangjin HLCA 1400 10/11, only poor across the hour with three and one pips in the hurk, but by 1417 this had excellent audio w/man in KK. Best heard in years at home. (NHP-BC)
- + 10/11 1338 Conversation in KK between man and woman. (NP-AB)
- 1008 JAPAN, Osaka JONR, good with JJ pops and woman ancr in JJ at 1431 10/17. (PM-OR)
- 1053t **JAPAN**, Nagoya JOAR 10/8 1332, Tentative, with man giving some kind on anmt in JJ. Then woman speaking. (NP-AB)
- 1062 PHILIPPINES, Metro Manila DZEC good with man in filipino at 1430 10/13. (PM-OR)
- JAPAN, Hiroshima JOFK 10/8 1324 man in studio speaking with a remote reporter in JJ //594. New one here. (NP-AB) (Great catch. They aren't all that strong here. PM)
- AUSTRALIA, QLD, Brisbane 4BC 10/11 1220 End of news, football/rugby/tennis items in sports report, then 4BC weather. (NP-AB)
- 1116 JAPAN, UNID ?? 10/8 1348. Audio for about a minute with a woman speaking in what sounded like Japanese. (NP-AB)
- 1134 JAPAN, Tokyo JOQR, very good w/JJ talk at 1422 10/17. (PM-OR)
- 1134 **SOUTH KOREA**, Kimpo 10/11. Heard poor to fair //972 w/KK man talking followed by musical interlude, both stations fading about 10 second cycles. Never heard before at home. (NHP-BC)
- 1179 **PHILIPPINES/JAPAN** JOOR mix here 1402 10/13. (PM-OR)
- PHILIPPINES, Davao City DXAB fair in splatter at 1407 10/13 with female ancr "Cal DXAB, your ABS CBN station with your number, so you can be entered into our contest". Caught 641 prefix, it sounded like. Several mentions of ABS CBN. Unneeded, but nice to hear. (PM-OR)

- 1500 HAWAII, Honolulu KUMU 10/9 1358, anmt for Big Brother / Big Sisters, then ID as "...Koo-Moo AM 1500" First time heard this season. (NP-AB)
- 1566 SOUTH KOREA. Cheii HLAZ 1307. Hymns sung by choir 10/10. (NP-AB)
- 575 **THAILAND**, VOA here with EE ID as "You have been listening to the Voice of America" at 1500 10/17 (PM-OR)

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REPORT FROM GRAYLAND WA DXPEDITION - 10/14+

- 153 RUSSIA, Komsomolsk. 1104 17 Oct. RR talk by man //279 etc. Good strength. (NHP-WA)
- 180 RUSSIA, Petropavlovsk. 1227 15 Oct. Woman in RR //279. (NHP-WA)
- 189 **RUSSIA**, Blagoveschensk. 1227 15 Oct. Sounder, woman in RR //279. (NHP-WA)
- 234 RUSSIA, Arman. 1225 15 Oct. RR talk //279 in among the beacons. (NHP-WA)
- 279 RUSSIA, Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk. 1222 15 Oct. RR talk by man. (NHP-WA)
- 529 ALASKA, Level Island, "SQM". 0506 16 Oct. Just the code, fair, least interference on NW wire. (NHP-WA)
- 530 ALASKA, Adak, "ADK". 1151 16 Oct. Code, fair and dominant on channel. (NHP-WA)
- 530 TURKS AND CAICOS, R. Vision Cristiana Internacional. 0503 16 Oct. SS talk, ID on hour, best on ALA 100. Fair. (NHP-WA)
- 531 JAPAN, Morioka, JOQG. 1208 15 Oct. Pop songs //594 in thunderstorm QRN. (NHP-WA)
- 558t **JAPAN**, Kobe, JOCR. 1200 15 Oct. Woman in JJ up to hour, followed by soft chimes leading to one tone on the hour, followed by more talk. (NHP-WA)
- 558 **SOUTH KOREA**, Jeonju, HLKF. 1300 17 Oct. KK talk by man at top of hour, but no ID; fair strength. (NHP-WA)
- 567 JAPAN, Sapporo, JOIK, 1118 15 Oct. JJ talk poor in splash //594, (NHP-WA)
- 594 JAPAN, Tokyo, JOAK. 1116 15 Oct. Beatles song "Yellow Submarine", followed by JJ talk by man, good level some splash; completely dominant w/JJ talk by 1256. Still hanging in there. S6 w/piano mx 1614 15 Oct. (NHP-WA)
- 603 S. KOREA, Seoul, HLSA. 1329 15 Oct. Man and woman in KK with musical interludes //slightly stronger 558. (NHP-WA)
- 612 **AUSTRALIA**, Brisbane, 4QR. 1255 15 Oct. EE teletalk likely this, in some splash.
- 39 **CHINA**. CNR1, 1513 15 Oct. Man and woman in CC //5030, (NHP-WA)
- 647.96 RUSSIA. Ussurivsk. 1317 16 Oct. Man in KK //7215; VoA KK relav: nil-poor. (NHP-WA)
- 648 RUSSIA, Ussuriysk, VoR. 1251 17 Oct. Piano mx //7355 fair-poor. (NHP-WA)
- 657 N. KOREA, Kangnam, t. 1341 16 Oct. Man and woman in KK, no // (neither 3320 nor 3250 had same program, though same as each other). Poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 666 JAPAN, Osaka, JOBK. 1454 16 Oct. Soft instrumental mx //594; fair-good. (NHP-WA)
- 593 JAPAN, Tokyo, JOAB. 1128 15 Oct. Man talking //693, but sounded almost KK //828 also. (NHP-WA)
- 702 AUSTRALIA. Sydney. 2BL, 1104 16 Oct. Aussie male talk //774 poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 702 JAPAN, Kitami, JOKB. 1133 15 Oct. JJ talk by man //774, likely this one of the two. (NHP-WA)
- 774 AUSTRALIA, Melbourne, 3LO. 1024 16 Oct. Mentions of Australia by man //702, trading places w/NHK lessons; poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 774 JAPAN, Akita, JOUB. 1640 15 Oct. Amazing S7 signal, then sign off with call ID, anthem and mx box. (NHP-WA)
- 828 JAPAN, Osaka, JOBB. 1346 15 Oct. Business English lessons; monstrous signal S9+20. (NHP-WA)
- 855 N. KOREA, NK. 1307 15 Oct. Likely this with KK talk by man and woman; actually 855.06 accounting for hum often heard on channel. (NHP-WA)
- 864 JAPAN, Fukui, JOPR. 1423 16 Oct. Woman talking // 1332 in mix; some splash also poorfair. (NHP-WA)
- 873 JAPAN, Kumamoto, JOGB. 1339 15 Oct. EE lessons over/under growl //774. (NHP-WA)
- RUSSIA, Khabarovsk, russia. 1130 17 Oct. Chimes on half hour, then RR talk by man. Poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 73 unID. 1300 15 Oct. 3 & 1 pips on hour, likely JJ but still not much audio, then off-frequency growl started to dominate. (NHP-WA)

- 909 JAPAN, Nagoya, JOCB. 1430 16 Oct. Italian lessons w/accordian interlude //774. Poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 936 JAPAN, JO??. 1551 16 Oct. Pop mx //1287, but two stations listed after 1500UT; JOTR Akita more likely nil-poor. (NHP-WA)
- 945 CHINA, CNR1. 1520 15 Oct. Man and woman in CC //5030 but slightly delayed. (NHP-WA)
- 963 CHINA, CRI. 1341 15 Oct. RR talk by man and woman //5915, somebody slightly off channel. (NHP-WA)
- 1053 **JAPAN**, Nagoya, JOAR. 1141 15 Oct. JJ talk by man; was still at S6 w/woman in JJ at 1653, over two hours after sunrise. (NHP-WA)
- 1053 S. KOREA, jammer. 1131 15 Oct. dominant, over JJ talk. (NHP-WA)
- 062 S. KOREA, Ch'ongju, HLKQ. 1435 15 Oct. Man in KK //3930. (NHP-WA)
- 1071 JAPAN, Obihiro, JOWM. 1256 16 Oct. Likely a JJ baseball game //1440. Lots of splash nil-poor. (NHP-WA)
- 1098t MARSHALL ISLANDS, Marshalls (t). 1026 16 Oct. Island chanting; fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1107 JAPAN, Kanazawa, JOMR. 1433 16 Oct. ballad //1440; way under another JJ; poor. (NHP-WA)
- 1134 JAPAN, Tokyo, JOQR. 1633 15 Oct. Japan & S. Korea mixing it up; JJ woman still there at 1657 w/fair strength. (NHP-WA)
- 1134 S. KOREA, Kimpo, KBS Social Education . 1122 15 Oct. Fair w/woman in KK //972 followed by mx; trading places w/JJ talk. (NHP-WA)
- 1143 **TAIWAN**, Baisha, BEL3. 1357 15 Oct. Woman talking //738. (NHP-WA)
- 1170 **S. KOREA**, Gimje, HLSR. 1146 15 Oct. //5975 in RR, woman. (NHP-WA)
- 1179 JAPAN, Osaka, JOOR. 1157 15 Oct. JJ talk by woman, mx interlude //1287. (NHP-WA)
- 1197 JAPAN, Mito, JOYF. 1150 15 Oct. JJ talk //1440, fair to good; noted many other times as well. (NHP-WA)
- 1205.98 **CHINA**, Yanji, Yanbian RGD. 1218 15 Oct. Likely this w/KK talk by man; often at good level. (NHP-WA)
- 1215 CHINA, Guangdong, CNR7. 1210 15 Oct. Commercial CC pop mx, sounders etc; "Voice of Old China" sounds more like "new commercial Asia". (NHP-WA)
- 1224 JAPAN, Kanazawa, JOJK. 1425 16 Oct. Man talking JJ //594 nil-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1251 **RUSSIA**, Ussuriysk, VoR. 1241 15 Oct. Tentatively this /w/CC talk by man, but no //6145; 7305 had CC but was not //1251. No ID at 1500. Noted many other times, but no success with parallels. (NHP-WA)
- 1287t **JAPAN**, Sapporo, JOHR. 1134 15 Oct. JJ talk by woman; by 1136 there was an internet address given by man as part of an ad? (NHP-WA)
- 1305 **S. KOREA**, Uljin, HLSV. 1638 16 Oct. Briefly fair w/KK talk by man //3930; poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1322.9 **CHINA**, CRI. 1407 15 Oct. Woman in RR //963. (NHP-WA)
- 1359 **CHINA**, CNR1. 1514 15 Oct. Woman in CC //5030, then man, o/u splash. (NHP-WA)
- 1377 **CHINA**, CNR1. 1323 15 Oct. CNR1 //6030 two men in CC slightly delayed from 6030. (NHP-WA)
- 1386 JAPAN, NHK2 synchros. 1640 16 Oct. s/off w/anthem and music box, pretty poor in splash, but amazing so late; several 10 kw to choose from. (NHP-WA)
- 1386 TAIWAN, Hsinchu, BED87. 1430 15 Oct. Musical interlude then more EE lessons //1539; mixing w/NHK2. (NHP-WA)
- 1413 JAPAN, Fukuoka, JOIF. 1336 15 Oct. Man and woman in JJ // 1197 which was excellent. (Allnight Nippon program.) (NHP-WA)
 - + 1501 16 Oct. Woman and man in JJ //1440; nil-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1422 **JAPAN**, Yokohama, JORF. 1400 16 Oct. JJ talk by man leading to a single tone on hour, can't dig out an ID; poor-good. (NHP-WA)
- JAPAN, Sapporo, JOWF. 1148 15 Oct. JJ talk by man and woman; dominant. (NHP-WA)
- 1475 MALAYSIA, Kota Kinabalu, RTM . 1236 16 Oct. Just a beefy carrier; at 1301, noted singing and woman in Tagalog. (NHP-WA)
- 1503 JAPAN. Akita. JOUK. 1355 16 Oct. Fast talking JJ man //594 nil-good. (NHP-WA)
- 1503t MICRONESIA, Kosrae, V6AJ. 1022 17 Oct. Woman in unID language after island mx nilfair. (NHP-WA)
- 1521 **JAPÀN**, NHK2 synchros. 1455 15 Oct. Woman in JJ, followed by stringed mx //774. (NHP-WA)
 - + 1328 16 Oct. Lively light opera mx poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1530 unID. 1545 16 Oct. Woman talking JJ, under somewhat phased KFBK poor-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1539 TAIWAN, Tainan, BED78. 1420 15 Oct. EE lessons on buying a house, interspersed w/CC. (NHP-WA)
- 1557 **TAIWAN**, Kohou, WYFR. 1339 17 Oct. Seemed to be a CC broadcast, with vocal mx, but not //WYFR Mandarin broadcasts on SW 7250. 1512 16 Oct had slow EE religious discussion, not able to find //. 6280 was EE but not this. (NHP-WA)
- 566 S. KOREA, Cheju Island, HLAZ. 1636 15 Oct. Back after its pattern change at 1630, fair signal, vocal mx. (NHP-WA)

- 1575 THAILAND, Ban Phachi, VOA. 1259 16 Oct. "welcome to Voice of America special English; good-fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1575 **unID**. 1532 16 Oct. Rock mx o/VoA, possibly AFN synchros in Japan; fair. (NHP-WA)
- 1584.02 **unID**. 1505 15 Oct. Possible Palau w/ pop mx. (NHP-WA)
- 1593 **CHINA**, CNR1. 1324 15 Oct. //6030 w/two men in CC, slightly delayed from 6030. (NHP-WA)
- 1602 **JAPAN**, NHK2 synchros. 1404 15 Oct. Woman in EE nx //774. (NHP-WA)
- 1611 unID. 1128 16 Oct. Light pop mx, poor in murk; no ID across the hour. Carriers also noted 1629 1665 1683.3 1701.1. (NHP-WA)
- (NHP-WA) Nick Hall-Patch, 1538 Amphion St., Victoria, BC, Canada V8R 4Z6. DXing at the Grayland Motel, Grayland WA; R8; SW, W and NW Beverages, 50' rectangular ALA100 loop antenna

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A treat for this issue! Mark Connelly: "CADX" (Cape Area DXers) get-together: see comments following logs. Many more stations were heard: these are longer-haul or less-often-reported ones.

*** TRANS-ATLANTIC DX ***

- 882 **SERBIA** (t) Podgorica et al., OCT 16 2312 possibly this with Slavic talk mixing with, and occasionally over, UK & Spain. Nearby Albania-1214.95 was strong a little earlier and Croatia-1134 was S9+40. [Connelly*C-MA]
- 927 **TURKEY** (t) Izmir, OCT 16 2340 Turkish-sounding talk; in tough CJYQ/ WWNH/ other-930 slop; logged just after a clear reception of the Turk on 1017. [Connelly*C-MA]
- 1017 TURKEY TRT, Mundanya (Istanbul), OCT 16 2320 Turkish talk dominating over Germany & Spain. [Connelly*C-MA]
- I170 UNITED ARAB EMIRATES R. Farda, Dabiya, OCT 16 2300 with WWVA phase-nulled, this thing was absolutely blasting in with a good Radio Farda ID at the top of the hour. No 1169 or 1171 het at this time, though the 1169 Iranian was actually showing up against local WFPB (less than 10 km distant!) more than an hour earlier, well before sunset. [Connelly*C-MA]
- 1214.95 ALBANIA Fllake, OCT 16 2152 superloud (S9+25) with pop vocal (that I first thought was just Virgin R.), then there was distinctive eastern European talk by a man and a woman. This was totally dominant and was stronger than adjacent VOAR/WPHT-1210. When I zero-beat the frequency, it was about 50 Hz low of nominal 1215. Soon a growl from the 1215 stations (UK & Spain) appeared. [Connelly*C-MA]
- 1431 DJIBOUTI R. Sawa, Arta, OCT 16 2350 pop Arabic music, Sawa mention; fair. [Connelly*C-MA]
- UNITED ARAB EMIRATES UAE R., Dubai, OCT 16 2259 most likely this on extended Ramadan schedule with Arabic string music at fair level. Propagation to that area was very good, based on how Farda-1170 was booming in. [Connelly*C-MA]
 KUWAIT R. Sawa, Kabd Kuwait City, OCT 16 2230 strong with dance music, Arabic
- 1548 KUWAIT R. Sawa, Kabd Kuwait City, OCT 16 2230 strong with dance music, Arabic talk. Adjacent 1550 had Algeria atop at times. [Connelly*C-MA]

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(at QTH of Vern Brownell, W1VB: Eastward Road)

Antenna system: 100 m NNE longwire phased against vertical Receiver: Drake R8A, DXP-3 Phasing unit.

Mark speaks about the Cape Cod DX Get-Together 2004:

"It had been a while since I'd visited my DX friends on Cape Cod so I figured that an October trip to the area was a good idea (after summer tourists and traffic had departed and before the arrival of winter's snow). Marc and Debby DeLorenzo had moved from Marstons Mills to a new home in South Dennis, off Route 134. Marc needed some antenna improvements done, so with my car loaded up with antenna supplies of all types (and myself loaded up with caffeine from Marylou's coffee shop in Weymouth), I rolled into his driveway at 9 a.m. on Saturday, 16 OCT. This was the first of three DX stops for the day. The bow and arrows, fishing line, ropes, wire, and toolbox were quickly set up on his back deck and the antenna work commenced. Up to this point Marc had been running his NRD-525 receiver from a phasing unit fed by an indoor Quantum Loop and an outdoor non-noise-reduced south longwire on the ground. He'd had as much as 500 ft/150 m of wire out

there on conservation land behind his house until some local kids made off with over half of it. There were pine and oak trees of decent height behind the house, so I suggested a broadband loop and a vertical. The broadband loop we put up peaks east-west and is square, about 12 m per side. It is center-fed on the bottom side through a 4:1 transformer. The vertical is about 15 m bottom to top. This would need a ground rod to "work against" for low-noise operation. Luckily nearby DXer Chris Black (N1CP) had a 2.4 m ground rod, so he brought it over and we pounded it in near the bottom of the vertical wire. A 16:1 transformer worked well to couple this to coaxial feedline. With two new antennas up (as the main "TA -gettin' set-up"), we thought that there were still some occasions when a longwire running south would be a valuable DX tool. I was mostly thinking about Latin American DX during auroral conditions. Instead of running the wire on the ground (and inviting sabotage by the DX-unappreciative), I ran it out, about 60 m worth, through low branches about 4 m off the ground. The effective method for this was tossing a string, attached to a rubber mallet, over branches while trying to keep the overall run as straight as could be managed. Then I pulled the length of wire through following the string. The end of the wire closer to the house was fed to one side of a 4:1 transformer and the new ground rod to the other side. All three of the newly-installed antennas, therefore, are configured to pick up minimum local electrical noise. Marc still has the indoor Quantum Loop as a fourth antenna to "play".

With this mission accomplished, it was now just a bit after noontime. We carried the "show" on to DX Shack #2, that of Chris Black in South Yarmouth. Chris took me a tour of the antenna farm in the woods on downsloping land behind his house. There were pitch pines out there that were well over 20 m tall: good-sized trees by Cape Cod standards. Like Marc, Chris is lucky to border land that is not likely to be developed in the near future. Chris mentioned future plans for a BOG (Beverage-on-Ground) though, considering what he already had it didn't seem that necessary. He has a supersized dual K9AY loop, a vertical, a longwire at 40 deg, and another longwire at 130 deg. On the house are some other antennas for ham and SWL use. Noise pick-up is minimized through rigorous usage of ground rods and matching transformers. Marc and Chris watched as I "drove" Chris's Drake R8B and phaser to null various stations when using the 40 deg. wire against the vertical, undoubtedly the set-up of choice for Europe. It was sweet to wipe out WOR-710's nasty IBOC garbage from 720 and get entertainment-quality CHTN in the middle of the day. And while my mind was on PEI, I just had to step up to WPRO-630 and null it to oblivion to hear country music from CFCY. I can get these PEI stations at home in Billerica during the day on the Flag antenna, but nowhere near as strong as I got them on Chris's set-up. I am now happy to report that Cape Cod DXers Marc and Chris are both "ready for prime time" when it comes to hearing Trans-Atlantics on medium-wave.

The time was a bit after 2 p.m. when we phoned a third Cape DXer, Vern Brownell (W1VB), about our imminent invasion of his palatial digs on the Chatham waterfront. All of this antenna work and stomping through the woods in cool autumn weather had given us a "wicked big" appetite. En route to early dinner I drove down Station Avenue in South Yarmouth, a place of many memories for me from the years that my parents had lived in the area. I rolled onto Route 28 in South Yarmouth with WROL-950's "Irish Hit Parade" show blasting out of my car speakers; this brought more "good old days" memories to mind. Chris, Marc, and I got to Seafood Sam's restaurant for a great meal and DX conversation. Chris went for scallops and Marc and I had - what else? - clams. I chatted up the idea of looking for Thailand-1575 at local sunset via Arctic-zone greyline. This would require very quiet geomagnetic conditions. India-1566 would almost have to be a "pest" for this to happen, I surmised. Chris filled us in on his trips to the 2004 NRC Convention and to the "mother church of homebrewers": the Dayton, OH Hamfest.

Soon we were off to Chatham for our visit to DX Shack #3, that of Vern, W1VB. This ride took us by the old WCC site at the corner of 28 and Old Comer's Road, overlooking picturesque Ryder's Cove. Vern is working with a local historical preservation society to make a antique wireless museum in one or more of the remaining WCC buildings. Some of the original towers are still there, unlike the South Chatham part of the operation that was completely demolished. We rolled out Fox Hill Road, past the Eastward Ho Golf Course (if I ever win the \$200 million Powerball, I'm buying that!) and down a maze of little streets to Vern's place on Eastward Road. He is one of a select few DXers whose home location is DXpedition-worthy. It's as good as hand-picked sites I visit to DX from the car. All the comforts of a house (a great house at that) and the DX quality of a "super-site". I guess Pat Martin in OR and Richard Wood in HI would also be in the elite group of those living in "DX heaven".

With the sun still fairly high at 4 p.m. local (2000 UTC), Saudi Arabia - 1521 was already putting a fat het against the 1520 domestics. Knowing that we still had close to an hour before the really interesting stuff showed up, Vern rolled out about 100 m of wire along the beach going roughly north-northeast. I did a jury-rig repair to a broadband loop I'd set up outdoors there about 4 years earlier. Vern also had a vertical antenna available for use. After playing around with a couple of different antenna configurations as inputs to Vern's phasing unit, I determined that the 100 m wire (noise-reduced via 4:1 transformer) versus the vertical was going to deliver the most "candy" on the Trans-Atlantic route. Really high latitude stuff like Norway-1314 was only so-so and, alas, deep Asians such as India would have to wait for another day. What was happening were some phenomenal signals from south-central Europe. Albania - 1214.95 was drop-you-in-your-tracks

loud, annihilating UK and Spain. Turkey-1017 right in there. Of course Croatia - 1134 was monster level, almost pegging the meter and sometimes better than adjacent WBBR-1130. Saudi Arabia – 1521 was also super-huge and, with its extended Ramadan schedule, should be heard just about everywhere. An effect I'd seen in Newfoundland was also repeated at Vern's in Chatham: Different geographical areas or different parts of the band popped into the spotlight as others receded. France-1377 was S9+35 one minute and 1206 was hard to hear at the same time, then it totally swapped around. Channels that are often single-station dominated, usually by something from Spain, had deep complex clusters of signals from all over Europe. At times you'd have to sit on a pile-up and wait for something to rise to dominance. When it did, it wasn't always the "usual". TalkSport-1089 was entertainment quality, but so was Radio Farda UAE on 1170, super with WWVA easily phased. As we DXed, Vern's wife stopped into the shack with snack platters, including shrimp which I had to sample. By 8 p.m. EDT (0000 UTC), DXing wound down and Marc, Vern, Chris, and I chatted a bit longer before departure time. It was the end of a fun DX day on Old Cape Cod.

On my way out of Chatham, I put on the Boston Red Sox - New York Yankees game on WEEI-850 and noted that WEEI was taking a beating from a het and slop from Spain-855! The reception bore a marked resemblance to WEEI as it sounds on Route 10 in eastern Newfoundland or maybe even to how it sounds in Ireland. I said to myself "This is one wild DX location." The Cape's resident DXers have the ability to contribute logs and audio clips that will be nothing short of astounding."

Thank you Mark for the fantastic report! That's all for this issue. Good DX to everyone! 73, Brandon.

DX FORUM

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I would like to thank Reid Wheeler for his fine editorship of WDXF and I hope I can carry on his legacy as we fold both the WDXF and EDXF into one column now called the DX Forum (DXF). For the relatively new people (that is, who have joined within the past 15 or 20 years, hi), there was also a Central DX Forum at one time. I don't remember when it was folded into the EDXF, though. For reporting to DXF, I am fairly flexible in what I take. I try not to use a hammer when editing. I would ask that people, if they are handwriting, to be careful on call letters and frequencies, and to be sure to show the frequency with the calls. I am not as familiar with the radio situation out there as you guys are. Give me time, though, as I will be working on it. Deadlines will be Saturday, but Sunday might make it. Just don't bet the house on it, hi. Big things is -- report. Hopefully, with the combined Forum, the column will be showing up each week now. Thanks to the BoD for their vote of confidence in me. -30-

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Greetings. I did receive my verification for the KEVA DX text. Not everyday one gets a QSL card for a graveyard station. I understand the test made it well to points west but not too well to the east. Perhaps the situation of the tower to nearby mountains had some effect. Hopefully this station and others will repeat the favor next season. I'm seeing lots on a recent trip through San Bernardino. We saw a billboard ad for KDIS-1110 (Pasadena), not too surprising that their signal reaches that far, but that San Bernardino has its own Radio Disney station on 1290 - KKDD... I wanted to send a message of thanks to Bill Nittler for the business cards and bumper stickers that he sent me. Always greatly appreciated! Tentative reception of Albuquerque here on 1450 during their local baseball game. Didn't fade up long enough for an ID though. Lately east of Los Angeles near the vicinity of where the KFWR/KLAC and KMPC towers are located, I've noted a relatively new set of AM towers. Haven't yet figured out who that belongs to. Time to start photographing again...I did get to attend this years NRC convention in Batavia, western New York. A fine event. It was fantastic being able to visit the tower sites of stations such as WNED-970, WLGZ-990, WWKB-1520 and especially WHAM-1180. It's been a long time since I was able to log them here in L.A. I'm still looking into biding for another IRCA convention in Southern California. Bummer about losing KABL-960 and KPOP-1360 both in the same year. I hear rumor of an upcoming WNQM DX test. Heard them last time they tested, and I hope to once more. Thanks to Reid Wheeler for years as WDXF editor. Good DX and 73.

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Raining this morning as I type this. Actually, I have already heard some thunder as well. Quite a bit of static but it didn't keep KOA-840 from popping thru looping opposite of WKNR-850 in Cleveland. Interesting combination at 0800 ELT on 10/18. I have been listening a fair amount this past week and added a few to the numbers. Now up to 340 heard. I picked off two of my most wanted on 10/14 with WHFB-1060 at 0806 and then WNWI-1080 at 1800 ELT. WHFB was in the

same county with me after I was transferred back to Michigan back in 1974-78 and WNWI-1080 was where Roger Winsor worked back in the late 1960s when it was located in Valparaiso. Ind. It was on 1080 then but, as I recall, the owner actually wanted to be in the Chicago area and Valpo was the closest he could get. Both stations were the second heard here on their respective frequency, so my list of frequencies where I have only heard one station is now down to 22. One of those. 1610, has a TIS I hear very well at my place but they don't give any calls so I can't really log it. It's a tape that keeps talking about motorists moving left for an emergency vehicle on the shoulder and that cars left on the shoulder will be towed. If it's the TIS I am thinking of, it's located up by the I-465 (Bypass) interchange with I-70 on the east side of town, less than two miles from where I used to work. Speaking of work, I am still out there in the meat market of a iob market trying to find something. The resumes go out but no response comes back. Oh, well, in the meantime, I can DX, hi. To go back to mentioning Roger Winsor, he was one of the first DXers I met after I joined the club (Frank Merrill was the first) and I learned a lot from him. We used to have some interesting DX sessions together, both at his house and then, after I got a phone, he was able to call me as a local call (it was long distance for me to call him) and we would tie up the line for two or three hours as we would both be scanning up and down the dial from our locations. That 12 miles between us could be the difference in how well we could null out some stations at times 73

HEARING IT THROUGH THE GRAPEVINE

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Hello everyone and welcome to my first column of "Hearing It Through The Grapevine." I thank Eric Bueneman for doing such an excellent job over the years. I can only hope to do as well as you did Eric. Also, I extend a "thank you" to our Board of Directors for selecting me as Eric's replacement.

For my first effort I will 'target' 900 kHz as my frequency of choice. Let's sit here and see who we pick up, day and night.

When you report your 900 kHz receptions please include your name, location receiver, antenna plus any other equipment you used.

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DX season is well under way my friends so let's light up our dials and have some fun! 73 de DX, Ray in New York

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670 KPUA-HI Hilo HI 1420 KKEA-HI Honolulu HI (Flagship)

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1310 WDXI Jackson, TN 96.5 WBFG Parker's Crossroads. TN 1340 WCDT Winchester, TN 96.7 WMOD Bolivar, TN 1340 WGRV Greeneville, TN 96.7 WNKX Centerville, TN 97.3 WKJQ Parsons. TN 1400 WJZM Clarksville, TN 1400 WKPT Kingsport, TN 98.3 WKSR Pulaski, TN 1400 WZNG Shelbyville, TN 101.3 WECO Wartburg, TN 1410 WCMT Martin, TN 101.5 WFTZ Manchester, TN 1420 WEMB Erwin, TN 101.5 WTPR McKinnon, TN 1420 WKSR Pulaski, TN 101.7 WJLE Smithville, TN 1440 WZYX Cowan, TN 101.7 WKOM Columbia, TN 102.1 WLCT Lafayette, TN 1450 WGNS Murfreesboro, TN 1450 WTRO Dversburg, TN 102.5 WOWF Crossville, TN 1480 WJLE Smithville, TN 103.1 WIKQ Tusculum, TN 1490 WJJM Lewisburg, TN 103.1 WMXX Jackson, TN 1490 WOPI Bristol, TN 104.1 WCLE Calhoun, TN 1510 WLAC Nashville, TN 104.1 WUCZ Carthage, TN 1570 WTRB Ripley, TN 104.7 WLIV Monterey, TN 1590 WKTP Jonesborough, TN 104.9 WKOS Kingsport, TN 104.9 WQLA La Follette. TN 92.7 WBZH Harriman, TN 105.5 WBNT Oneida, TN 93.5 WKBQ Covington, TN 105.5 WYTM Fayetteville, TN 93.5 WKWX Savannah, TN 105.9 WNRQ Nashville, TN 93.7 WTKB Atwood, TN 106.5 WSKZ Chattanooga, TN 94.3 WJJM Lewisburg, TN 106.7 WDXE Lawrenceburg, TN 94.7 WGSQ Cookeville, TN 107.3 WKZP Spencer, TN 95.1 WCDZ Dresden, TN 107.7 W299AE (WKZP) McMinnville, TN 95.3 WTBG Brownsville, TN 107.7 WIVK Knoxville, TN 95.9 WRJB Camden, TN

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ONE LINERS...

ASHLAND UNIVERSITY SPORTS - 1340 WNCO Ashland, OH BEMIDJI STATE UNIVERSITY - 1360 KKBJ Bemidji, MN BETHEL COLLEGE - 91.9 WQKO Howe, IN CENTRAL WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY - 88.1 KCWU Ellensburg, WA COLLEGE OF THE HOLY CROSS - 580 WTAG Worcester, MA CONCORD UNIVERSITY - 95.9 WSTG Princeton, WV CORTLAND STATE UNIVERSITY - 920 WKRT Cortland, NY DEFIANCE COLLEGE - 1280 WONW Defiance, OH DUQUESNE UNIVERSITY - 770 WKFB Jeannette, PA EAST CENTRAL UNIVERSITY - 99.3 KADA Ada, OK FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL - 1460 WBRN Big Rapids, MI GUILFORD COLLEGE - 1070 WGOS High Point, NC LANDER UNIVERSITY - 94.1 WHZQ Cross Hill, SC MISSISSIPPY VALLEY UNIVERSITY - 91.7 WVSD Itta Bena, MS

NORWICH UNIVERSITY - 1390 WVAA Burlington, VT RIDER UNIVERSITY - 1260 WBUD Trenton, NJ ST. MICHAEL'S COLLEGE - 1390 WVAA Burlington, VT TIFFIN UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL - 1600-WTTF Tiffin. OH U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY - 1430 WNAV Annapolis, MD UNION COLLEGE - 1160 WABY Mechanicville, NY UNIVERSITY AT ALBANY - 980 WOFX Troy, NY UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA - HUNTSVILLE - 1450 WTKI Huntsville, AL UNIVERSITY OF ALASKA ANCHORAGE - 550 KTZN Anchorage, AK UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA BERKELEY - 810 KGO San Francisco, CA UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA - 740 WQTM Orlando, FL UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL OKLAHOMA - 90.1 KCSC Edmond, OK UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI - 700 WLW Cincinnati, OH UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON - 1290 WHIO Dayton, OH UNIVERSITY OF FINDLAY - 1330 WFIN Findlay, OH UNIVERSITY OF HAWAII - 1420 KKEA Honolulu, HI UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND EASTERN SHORE - 960 WTGM Salisbury, MD UNIVERSITY OF MEMPHIS - 790 WMC Memphis. TN UNIVERSITY OF MISSOURI-ST. LOUIS - 920 WGNU Granite City, IL (Basketball) UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA AT KEARNEY - 1340 KGFW Kearney, NE UNIVERSITY OF NEVADA LAS VEGAS - 920 KBAD Las Vegas, NV UNIVERSITY OF NEW MEXICO - 610 KNML Albuquerque, NM UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA - 920 WPHY Trenton, NJ UNIVERSITY OF RICHMOND - 910 WRNL Richmond, VA UNIVERSITY OF ST. FRANCIS - 1450 WLYV Fort Wayne, IN UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS - Pan American basketball - 1240 KSOX UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO - 1370 WSPD Toledo, OH UNIVERSITY OF UTAH - 700 KALL North Salt Lake City, UT UPPER IOWA UNIVERSITY - 95.3 KQMG Independence, IA VALPARAISO UNIVERSITY - 95.1 WVUR Valparaiso, IN WABASH COLLEGE - 106.3 WCDQ Crawfordsville, IN WEST CHESTER UNIVERSITY - 1520 WCHE West Chester, PA WESTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY - 102.7 WJEQ Macomb, IL WESTERN OREGON UNIVERSITY - 1220 KCCS Salem, OR WESTERN WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY - 930 KBAI Bellingham, WA WICHITA STATE UNIVERSITY - 1240 KFH Wichita, KS (Baseball & Basketball)

CFL FOOTBALL (playoffs are later this month) (via Dale Park)

B.C. LIONS

Rick Ball, Giulio Caravatta

610 CHNL-BC Kamloops
630 CKOV-BC Kelowna
1040 CKST-BC Vancouver (Flagship)
1230 CJNL-BC Marritt
1240 CKMK-BC MacKenzie
1340 CINL-BC Ashcroft/Cache Creek
1400 CHNL1-BC Clearwater

92.1 CFNR-BC Terrace-Thornhill
96.1 CFNR-BC Kitimat-Nass Valley-Queen
Charlotte Is.
98.1 CFNR-BC Prince Rupert
99.3 CKDV-BC Prince George
106.7 CHNL-BC Logan Lake

CALGARY STAMPEDERS

Mark Stephens, Greg Peterson

770 CHQR-AB (Flagship)

EDMONTON ESKIMOS

Bryan Hall, John Farlinger, Dave Campbell

630 CHED-AB (Flagship)

HAMILTON TIGER-CATS

Tim Micallef, John 'Coach Sal' Salavantis, Rick Zamperin-sidelines-h, Ben Zambiasi-h

900 CHML-ON (Flagship) 980 CFPL-ON London (8 games only)

MONTREAL ALOUETTES

Rick Moffat, Tony "The Staple Gun" Proudfoot, Rob Martier-side; Christian Gauthier, Pierre Dumont

730 CKAC-QC (French flagship) 800 CJAD-QC (English flagship)

OTTAWA RENEGADES

Christian Gauthier, Pierre Dumont

1200 CFGO-ON (Flagship)

SASKATCHEWAN ROUGHRIDERS

Rod Pedersen, Carm Carteri

600 CJWW-SK Saskatoon 940 CJGX-SK Yorkton

620 CKRM-SK Regina (Flagship)

TORONTO ARGONAUTS

Paul Romanuk, Peter Martin

640 CFMJ-ON (Flagship)

WINNIPEG BLUE BOMBERS

Bob Irving, Mitch Zalnasky, Bob Cameron, Andrea Rawlings-sidelines

680 CJOB-MB (Flagship)

HOCKEY

MANCHESTER MONARCHS (AHL)

610 WGIR Manchester, NH
930 WGIN Rochester, NH
1400 WTSL Hanover, NH
1540 WGIP Exeter, NH

PORTLAND PIRATES (AHL)

1220 WPHX Sanford, ME 95.5 WJJB Topsham, ME

1440 WJAE Westbrook, ME

CENTRAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

Amarillo Gorillas - 1440 KPUR Amarillo, TX Austin Ice Bats - 1260 KWNX Taylor, TX

Bossier-Shreveport Mudbugs - 1130 KWKH Shreveport, LA

Colorado Eagles - 99.9 KKPL Cheyenne, WY Corpus Christi Ray - 104.5 KPUS Gregory, TX Fort Worth Brahmas - 92.1 KTFW Glen Rose, TX

Laredo Bucks - 94.9 KQUR Laredo, TX

Lubbock Cotton Kings

790 KFYO Lubbock, TX 1340 KKAM Lubbock, TX 98.1 KKCL Lorenzo, TX

Memphis RiverKings - 680 WJCE Memphis, TN New Mexico Scorpions - 610 KNML Albuquerque, NM

Odessa Jackalopes - 96.9 KMCM Odessa, TX Oklahoma City Blazers - 930 WKY Oklahoma City, OK Rio Grande Valley Killer Bees - 840 KVJY Pharr, TX

San Angelo Saints - 103.1 KKCN Ballinger, TX Topeka Tarantulas - 1490 KTOP Topeka, KS

Tulsa Oilers - 100.3 KCXR Taft, OK

Wichita Thunder - 1070 KFTI Wichita, KS

WESTERN HOCKEY LEAGUE

Brandon Wheat Kings - 610 CHNL Kamloops, BC Calgary Hitmen - 960 CFAC Calgary, AB Kamloops Rockets - 610 CHNL Kamloops, BC Kootenay Ice - 102.9 CHDR Cranbrook, BC Lethbridge Hurricanes - 93.3 CJBZ Lethbridge, AB Medicine Hat Tigers - 1270 CHAT Medicine Hat, AB Moose Jaw Warriors - 800 CHAB Moose Jaw, SK Portland Winter Hawks - 970 KUPL Portland, OR Prince Albert Raiders - 900 CKBI Prince Albert. SK

Prince George Cougars

99.3 CKDV Prince George, BC

101.3 CKKN Prince George, BC

Regina Pats - 620 CKRM Regina, SK Seattle Thunderbirds - 1150 Seattle, WA Spokane Chiefs - 790 KJRB Spokane, WA Swift Current Broncos - 94.1 CJGL Swift Current, SK

Tri-City Americans - 870 KFLD Pasco, WA

UNITED HOCKEY LEAGUE

Adirondack Frostbite - 99.1 WCKM Lake George, NY

Danbury Trashers - Internet Only

Elmira Jackals - 104.9 WNGZ Montour Falls, NY

Flint Generals - 1470 WFNT Flint, MI

Fort Wayne Komets - 1190 WOWO Fort Wayne, IN Kalamazoo Wings - 95.9 WLKM Three Rivers, MI Kansas City Outlaws - 1340 KCKN Kansas City, KS Missouri River Otters - 1380 KSLG St. Louis. MO Motor City Mechanics - 1310 WXDX Dearborn, MI Muskegon Fury - 97.5 WEFG White Hall, MI Port Huron Beacons - 1450 WHLS Port Huron, MI

Quad City Mallards - 1230 WFXN Moline. IL Richmond RiverDogs - 1480 WTOX Glen Allen, VA Rockford IceHogs - 1330 WNTA Rockford, IL

PRO BASKETBALL

ATLANTA HAWKS

Announcer: Steve Holman

630 WBMQ Savannah, GA 1450 WKEU Griffin, GA 740 WMSP Montgomery, AL 1450 WMVG Milledgeville, GA 750 WSB Atlanta, GA (Flagship) 1470 WCLA Claxton, GA 790 WSFN Brunswick, GA 1470 WRGA Rome, GA 800 WJAT Swainsboro, GA 1600 WFIS Fountain Inn. SC 940 WMAC Macon, GA 1630 WRDW Augusta, GA 960 WRFC Athens, GA 92.1 WKUL Cullman, AL 990 WEIS Centre, AL 98.1 WELT Swainsboro, GA (?) 1230 WBLJ Dalton, GA 102.3 WKZR Milledgeville, GA 1240 WWNS Statesboro, GA 105.3 WSTI Quitman, GA 1340 WGAU Athens, GA 105.5 WIFO Jesup, GA 1350 WGAD Gadsden, AL 107.3 WMCD Claxton, GA (?) 1360 WTSH Rome, GA

CHICAGO BULLS

1370 WLOP Jesup, GA

Broadcast Team: Neil Funk, Bill Wennington, and Carmen DeFalco

870 WINU Shelbyville, IL	1440 WROK Rockford, IL
1000 WMVP Chicago, IL (Flagship)	1470 WKLZ Kalamazoo, MI
1060 WRHL Rochelle, IL	1490 WKRO Cairo, IL
1150 KCPS Burlington, IA	1580 WBCP Urbana, IL
1170 KJOC Davenport, IA	1590 WAIK Galesburg, IL
1230 WHCO Sparta, IL	1600 KCRG Cedar Rapids, IA
1240 WTAX Springfield, IL	1600 WMVW Harvard, IL
1280 WBIG Aurora, IL	95.7 WLRX Nappanee, IN
1330 WRAM Monmouth, IL	97.7 WLCX Nappanee, IN
1360 WLBK DeKalb, IL	
1390 KCLN Clinton, IL	105.1 WGEM Quincy, IL

1440 WGEM Quincy, IL **DALLAS MAVERICKS**

Broadcast Team: Mark Followill & Brad Davis

600 KTBB Tyler, TX	1580 KGAF Gainesville, TX
1230 KSST Sulphur Springs, TX	1590 KGAS Carthage, TX
1420 KFYN Bonham, TX 1430 KEES Gladewater, TX 1490 KBST Big Spring, TX	94.3 KSEY Seymour, TX 103.3 KESN Allen, TX (Flagship)

DENVER NUGGETS

Broadcast Team: Jerry Schemmel & Jason Kosmicki

610 KCSR Chadron, NE	1230 KBCR Steamboat Springs, CO
950 KKFN Denver, CO (Flagship)	1300 KKML Colorado Springs, CO
960 KNEB Scottsbluff, NE	1310 KFKA Greeley, CO
1010 KSIR Brush, CO	1350 KGHF Pueblo, CO

1450 KBFS Belle Fourche, SD 1480 KRAE Chevenne, WY 1490 KBSR Laurel, MT

100.5 KRSJ Durango, CO 103.1 KYDT Sundance, WY 106.1 KNFO Basalt, CO

96.1 KSTR Montrose, CO

GOLDEN STATE WARRIORS

Broadcast Team: Tim Roye & Jim Barnett

680 KNBR San Francisco, CA (Flagship) 1050 KTCT San Mateo, CA

NEW ORLEANS HORNETS

1510 KAGY Port Sulphur, LA

F AMERICA 1596

95 705

Broadcast Team: Bob Licht & Gerry Vaillancourt

640 KTIB Thibodaux, LA 1600 KLEB Golden Meadow, LA 1640 WTNI Biloxi, MS 930 WSFZ Jackson, MS 970 KSYL Alexandria, LA 1680 KRJO Monroe, LA 1150 WJBO Baton Rouge, LA 98.1 WMXI Laurel, MS 1210 WSKR Denham Springs, LA 99.5 WRNO New Orleans, LA (Flagship) 1240 KANE New Iberia, LA 104.7 WJSH Folsom, LA 1250 WHNY McComb. MS 104.9 WCJU Prentiss. MS 1280 WODT New Orleans, LA (Flagship) 105.9 KBZE Berwick, LA 1340 KRMD Shreveport, LA



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